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Date: September 28, 2017

NEWS RELEASE

El Paso Texas Anti-Gang Center is in Full Operation

Date & Time: Thursday, September 28, 2017

Location: El Paso, Texas

EL PASO, TEXAS: The El Paso Anti-Gang (TAG) Center is officially up and running. The TAG is grant funded from the Office of the Governor Criminal Justice Division. The El Paso TAG opened its door in the summer of 2017 and became operational Thursday, September 28, 2017. The El Paso TAG is the 3rd operational TAG Center in Texas. “The Texas Anti-Gang Grant Program (TAG) – supports targeted, regional approaches to combat gang violence by coordinating prevention, intervention, and suppression activities”. The El Paso TAG Center supports federal, state, and local law enforcement at the center. Participants at the El Paso TAG include the El Paso Police Department, El Paso County Sheriff’s Office, The District Attorney’s Office of the 34th Judicial District, the Department of Public Safety, the FBI, DEA, ATF, and HSI. El Paso TAG Center will serve Texas DPS Region 4 (west Texas). The TAG will maintain a cooperative alliance with the Texas Violent Gang Task Force and the Texas Gang Investigators Association. To report Gang Crime and remain anonymous call 915.212.GANG (4264). The Administrator of the El Paso TAG Center is Bill Massey.

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